

CHANGES IN PERSONNEL OF OFFICE STAFF

Gardiner Leaving American Graphophone Co. and El-Will May Succeed.

With the return of prosperous business conditions will come a change in the purchasing department of the American Graphophone Co. About October 1, Charles E. Gardiner, the present purchasing agent, will leave to accept a similar position with the International Silver Co. of Meriden, Conn. Although it has not yet been definitely decided by Mr. Gardiner's successor will be it is said on excellent authority that Herbert W. Elwill will return to the position which he held until May, 1907. Mr. Gardiner who has already handed in his resignation was formerly connected with the Westinghouse Co. in Pittsburgh and later with the National Cash Register Co. of Dayton, Ohio. Mr. Elwill, who it is expected will return, was connected with the Graphophone Co. for over 13 years, working his way from a clerk to the head of the purchasing department. At present he is in business in Long Island.

With the change there will be a shift among the assistants. Guy W. Elliman, assistant to the purchasing agent, will probably go to Meriden with his chief, who brought him here from Dayton, Ohio. If Mr. Elwill does not accept his old position, the new chief will be chosen from the present staff. Those most talked of for the position are James J. Bunton, assistant manager, and Herbert Ray, assistant executive officer.

DRIVEN TO SUICIDE BY LOVE OF PUPILS

School Teacher Brooded Because They Failed to Win Contest.

Philadelphia, Aug. 28.—Dependancy because she failed to win for her pupils the prize in a voting contest for schools drove Edna M. Schaeffer, 20 years old, of No. 210 East York street, to suicide by drowning last night. She leaped into the Rancocas Creek at Delanco, N.J., and the efforts of three men to save her were in vain. The loss of the voting contest caused her such disappointment that she suffered from melancholia and nervous prostration.

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Bible Arithmetic.

Ezekiel's reed was nearly eleven feet; a cubit was nearly twenty-two inches; a hand's breadth is equal to three and five-eighths inches; a finger's breadth is equal to a little less than an inch; a shekel of silver was about 28.34; a shekel of gold was \$2; a talent of silver was \$400; a talent of gold was nearly \$5,000; a piece of silver, or a penny, was \$1/4; a farthing was equal to a halfpenny; a mite was less than a farthing; a gerah was 1/4 of an ephah, or bath, contained four galleons and five pints; a hin was three quarts and three pints; an omer was six pints; a cab was five pints.—London Globe.

The Invincible Armada.

The invincible armada was a famous naval expedition sent by Philip II. of Spain against England in 1588. It consisted of 130 vessels, 2,430 great guns, 4,575 quintals of powder, nearly 20,000 soldiers, above 8,000 sailors and more than 10,000 volunteers. It arrived in the English channel on July 19 and was defeated the next day by Admiral Howard, who was seconded by Drake, Hawkins and Frohisher. Eight Spanish ships having been sent into the Spanish fleet, they bore off in great disorder. Profiting by the panic, the English fell upon them and captured or destroyed a number of their ships, and Admiral Howard maintained a running fight from July 21 to July 27, with such effect that the Spanish commander, despairing of success, resolved to return home, and as escape through the English channel was prevented by contrary winds he undertook to sail around the Orkneys, but the vessels which still remained to him were dispersed by storms or shipwrecked among the rocks and shallows on different parts of the Scottish and Irish coast, and upward of 5,000 men were drowned, killed or taken prisoners. Of the whole armada fifty-three ships only returned to Spain and these in a wretched condition. The English lost but one ship.

The Maroons.

The Maroons were the descendants of African slaves, brought to Jamaica by the Spaniards. During the conquest of Jamaica by the English the Maroons, deserted by their masters, fled to the mountain fastnesses, where they lived a fierce, wild life. Increasing daily in number by the many deserting slaves, the Maroons soon became formidable to their white neighbors, whom they plundered and killed. In 1738 an agreement was made which subjected them to an independence, which they maintained for 140 years, but the English finally determined to exterminate them and for this purpose pursued them barbarously with bloodhounds. Hemmed in on every side and hunted down, they were compelled to submit, and only 600 escaped, who were transported to the bleak shores of Nova Scotia, where they perished miserably.

The Sunday Stone.

The "Sunday stone" of the Oxford Museum was taken from a colliery drain and is a perfect calendar of Sundays and holidays. It is composed of carbonate of lime. When miners were at work, the water running through the drain left a black deposit colored by coal dust. At other times the water ran clear, leaving the stone deposit white. In course of time these black and white layers formed a stone of considerable thickness, which constitutes a very complete calendar. Each day of work has its record a black streak, followed by a white streak, which marks the hours of rest at night. Wider white streaks mark the Sundays and whole holidays, and thus it has taken its name as the "Sunday stone."—London Mail.

Rossini's Memory.

Rossini's memory was lacking in retentiveness, especially in respect to the names of persons who had been introduced to him. This forgetfulness was frequently a cause of amusement whenever Rossini was among company. One day he met Bishop, the English composer. Rossini knew the face well enough and at once greeted him. "Ah, my dear Mr. Bishop," but the name escaped his memory, and to convince him that he had not forgotten him Rossini began whistling Bishop's glee, "When the Wind Blows," a compliment which the Englishman took as a jest, and had been dubbed, recognized quite as readily as if his ecclesiastical surname had been mentioned.

A Mob.

A mob is usually a creature of very mysterious existence, particularly in a large city. Where it comes from or whether it goes few men can tell. Assembling and dispersing with equal suddenness, it is as difficult to follow its various movements as to see its itself. It does the parallel stop here, for the ocean is not more fickle and uncertain, more terrible when aroused, more unreasonable or more cruel.—Dickens.

Choosing a Wife.

The plainest features become handsome unawares when associated only with kind feelings and the loveliest face disagreeable when linked with ill humor or caprice. People should remember this when they are selecting a face which they are to see every morning across the breakfast table for the remainder of their lives.—N. P. Willis.

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